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For: SMARTCARD FOR USE WITH A RECEIVER  
OF ENCRYPTED BROADCAST SIGNALS,  
AND RECEIVER

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**AMENDMENT UNDER 37 C.F.R. §1.111**

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Dear Sir:

In response to the Office Action dated November 30, 2004, please reconsider this application in view of the following.